

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PARM, USUN, EGEN,

SUBJECT: MILITARY EXPENDITURE LIMITATIONS (MEL) -  
COMMENTS FOR USE OF EXPERTS GROUP

REF: (A) STATE 191570, (B) STATE 169345,

1. PURSUANT TO REF B, POLCOUNSELOR CALLED ON AMBASSADOR SILVA ARANDA, FOREIGN MINISTRY POLITICAL/MILITARY EXPERT, TO DISCUSS MEL COMMENTS AND LEFT AIDE MEMOIRE DRAWN FROM PARA 6 REF B. SILVA NOTED THAT PERU HAD BEEN IN THE FOREFRONT OF THE MEL EFFORT IN THE UN, ESPECIALLY THROUGH DR. ENCINAS, AS WELL AS IN THE ANDEAN REGION. WHILE GOP WAS PREPARED TO OFFER UNSYG INFORMALLY THE RESULTS OF ITS EXPERIENCE ON THE MEL BUDGET REPORTING NEGOTIATIONS WITHIN THE ANDEAN GROUP (WHICH SILVA CONTENDED WHAD ADVANCED FURTHER THAN THE UN EFFORT), IT DID NOT BELIEVE IT APPROPRIATE TO MAKE FORMAL COMMENTS OR PROPOSALS WHILE THE ANDEAN NEGOTIATIONS TO ESTABLISH A MILITARY BUDGET REPORTING SYSTEM ARE IN PROCESS. HE SAID THE NEXT MEETING OF ANDEAN GROUP ON THIS SUBJECT WILL BE HELD IN BOLIVIA BUT NO DATE HAS BEEN SET. HE WOULD NOT VENTURE AN ESTIMATE AS TO  
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WHEN ANDEAN NEGOTIATIONS MIGHT BE COMPLETED.  
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## Message Attributes

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